Service Date: March 13, 2000

## FINAL ORDER NO. 6474

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION P.O. Box 202601 Helena, Montana 59620-2601

IN THE MATTER OF Shirley Hamilton dba	) Docket No. T-00.19.PCN
Roundup Taxi, Roundup, Montana,	) Order No. 6474
Application for a Montana Intrastate	)
Certificate of Public Convenience and	)
Necessity.	)

The Commission, being fully advised in the premises, makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

## FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On January 21, 2000, Shirley Hamilton dba Roundup Taxi, Roundup, Montana, filed an application with the Montana Public Service Commission under Title 69, MCA, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing transportation of the following:

Class B - Passengers between all points and places in Roundup, Montana and a five (5) mile radius thereof.

2. In accordance with Section 69-23-321, MCA, this matter was noticed to the public February 9, 2000. That notice said in pertinent part:

If no written protests are received by February 29, 2000, a hearing may not be held and a final order may be issued in this Docket. If a protest is received, a hearing will be scheduled. Individual notice of the hearing will be given only to Protestants and Applicant.

The application included affidavits of support.

3. No protests or responses of any kind were received.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Montana Public Service Commission properly exercises jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter in this proceeding.
- 2. The Commission afforded all parties interested in this proceeding proper notice and an opportunity to participate.
- 3. Public Convenience and Necessity require a grant of the authority sought by the Applicant.

# ORDER

NOW THEREFORE, at a session of the Public Service Commission,
Department of Public Service Regulation of the State of Montana, held in its
offices at 1701 Prospect Avenue, Helena, Montana, on Monday, the 13th day of
March, 2000, there being present a quorum of Commissioners, there came
regularly before the Commission for final action the matters and things in
Docket No. T-00.19.PCN, and the Commission being fully advised in the
premises;

IT IS ORDERED by the Commission that the application of Shirley Hamilton dba Roundup Taxi, Roundup, Montana, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity IS GRANTED to the following extent:

Class B - Passengers between all points and places in Roundup, Montana and a five (5) mile radius thereof.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a full, true, and correct copy of this order be sent forthwith by first class mail to the applicant and all parties herein.

THE FOREGOING ORDER was adopted by the Department of Public Service Regulation of the State of Montana, Public Service Commission, IN OPEN SESSION at Helena, Montana, this 13th day of March, 2000, by a vote of 5-0.

BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

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ATTEST:

Kathlene M. Anderson Commission Secretary

(SEAL)

NOTE:

Any interested party may request the Commission to reconsider this decision. A motion to reconsider must be filed within ten (10) days. See 38.2.4806, ARM.